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DECLARATION OF ROY A. KIM IN SUPPORT OF ASSIGNEE'S PETITION
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I, ROY A. KIM, do hereby declare:

1. I am a patent attorney (Reg. No. 51,833) and represent Calico Brands, Inc. for U.S. Serial No. 10/039,578 (REI of 08/881,964; 06/05/1997; Patent No. 5,971,751).

2. I personally searched the following databases in an attempt to contact Mr. Thomas Ping Hua Lee to no avail:

- a. Yahoo People Search, a true and correct copy of the search result is attached hereto as Exhibit 1;
- b. MSN People Search, a true and correct copy of the search result is attached hereto as Exhibit 2; and
- c. InfoUSA.com, a true and correct copy of the search result is attached hereto as Exhibit 3.

3. Previously, Mr. Lee Sharra conducted various searches in an attempt to contact Mr. Lee as evidenced in his declaration submitted on August 19, 2002. Mr. Sharra was not able to locate Mr. Lee.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein are of my own knowledge and are true and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and that such willful

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